California Department of Veterans Affairs



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Classification: Clinical Laboratory Technologist (\$3,884-\$4,721)

24-Month Limited Term, Full Time

Location: Department of Veterans Affairs

1227 O Street, Sacramento, CA

Who Should

Apply: Current State employees within these classifications or those who are eligible on a certification

list, transfers, or reinstatements. SROA/SURPLUS PROVISIONS APPLY.

Duties and

Responsibilities: *Under supervision of the Clinical Business Lead, this position is a Clinical Laboratory*

Technologist, which is the laboratory Subject Matter Expert (SME) for the Enterprise-wide Veterans Homes Information Systems (Ew-VHIS) Project. Duties performed by this position are at the expert level and are accountable for complex technical work assignments. Incumbent is expected to demonstrate a high level of knowledge related to methods and principles of laboratory practices as well as policy with its related Federal, State, and Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO) requirements in performing duties that will include, but

are not limited to, the following:

Conduct and document business process assessments; analyze and assess existing business systems, processes, procedures, and functional requirements; develop future process design for long-term care and acute levels of care

Work with staff to obtain program, interface, form, and report specifications; work with ISD staff in the design and implementation of these specifications for the new Ew-VHIS

Plan, design, prepare and coordinate Ew-VHIS application training to all system users

- Participate in system implementation and data conversion processes; create data dictionaries related to medical records usage and storage
- Provide expert level of Administrative and medical record management guidance to information services staff as it relates to Federal, State and JCAHO requirements
- Ability to travel

Desirable Qualifications:

- Excellent organizational, analytical, and interpersonal skills
- High degree of initiative and ability to work independently, as well as in a team environment
- Experience in or knowledge of systems development and implementation
- ➤ Ability to learn data processing and system-oriented concepts and language
- Ability to adjust to changing work assignments and priorities
- Goal oriented, conscious of timelines and due dates
- Excellent communication skills
- Experience with personal computers and Microsoft Office Suite

Reasons to apply for/accept a position with the Ew-VHIS Project Team:

- You will have a unique opportunity to participate in a business-critical project learning new technology that will improve the care quality for Veterans living at all CDVA Veterans Homes
- You will work closely with dedicated professionals while adding major project implementation skills to your work experience
- You will gain valuable, cutting edge IT competencies and acquire experience that will be marketable statewide

How to Apply: Candidates should submit a State Application (STD. 678) and résumé to:

Department of Veterans Affairs

1227 O Street, Room 402

Sacramento, CA 95814

Inquiries:
Voice: (916) 653-2535

TDD: (916) 653-1966

Attn: Jason Drenik Reference M-80 # 009-07/08

In Line #12 on the State Application, you must clearly indicate the basis of your eligibility; i.e., List, Transfer, SROA, Surplus, Reemployment, or Reinstatement. Failure to do so could result in being rejected from the interview process.

Final Filing Date: **Until Filled**

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